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## THE OLDEST LOCK.

It Formerly Secured One of the Doors of a Palace of Nineveh.

The very oldest lock in existence is one which formerly secured one of the doors of a palace of Nineveh. It is a gigantic affair, and the key to it, which is as large as one man can conveniently carry, reminds one of the Scriptural passage where the prophet makes reference to such instruments being carried on the shoulder. The exact words in the passage referred to are, "And the key of the house of David I will lay upon his shoulder."

This enormous key to the lock from Nineveh is nearly 8 1/2 feet in length and of the thickness of a four inch drain tile. It was found at the end of a ruined chamber, where a large wooden door had probably once stood, the gigantic brass hinges and heavy bars being still in fair condition, though somewhat corroded. This relic of the olden times has but few points of resemblance to the keys of modern manufacture, or even to those of the early part of the Christian era. The tubular idea had never been thought out in those days, but the key is fearfully and wonderfully made, being equally as intricate a piece of machinery as the lock in which it was used. A great many of the bars and pegs in the lock are believed to have been made of wood, as their places are now empty. The notches and pegs in the key, however, show that there were corresponding pegs and bars in the lock at one time. The great lateral iron bars at the end of the key, with their complicated series of notches, crossbars, bumps, etc., are proof that the lock was once similarly provided. This being the case, it is reasonable to suppose that at one time the door to that palace could not have been opened until the key had been inserted and the impediment to the drawing back of the bolt removed by raising up so many bars and pins which had fallen down into their places upon the key having been withdrawn. Similar locks and keys were in use in Egypt 5,000 years ago.—St. Louis Republic.

## THERE WERE FISH.

But It Took an Extra Quarter to Find Where They Were.  
"The most taciturn people in the world live in western North Carolina and east Tennessee," said a department clerk.

"I went fishing near Elk Park, and in some of the streams down there is the finest trout fishing in the world. There were four of us in the party, and we went up one of the mountain creeks for about three miles. A native passed us, and I asked:

"Are there any trout in the creek?"

"Yes."

"We throw our lines and fished every hole in the creek for two miles without getting a bite, then walked back toward town with empty baskets. Meeting the native again, I said:

"I thought you stated there were trout in that creek?"

"That is."

"Well, we didn't get a bite."

"I 'lowed' you' all wouldn't when I seed you' try."

"Why not, if there?"

"Yo didn't ax me of thar war trout whar yo was fishin'."

"What did I ask you?" I inquired, getting angry.

"Ef thar war trout in the crick, an thar is heap of 'em."

"Where are they?"

"Still in the crick."

"What part of the creek?"

"In the middle, 'cept them as at the sides. Thar ain't none on the banks."

"I gave him a quarter and he said:

"They don't never come up this far."

"But two miles down the creek thar's plenty."

"We went down the creek, and the native was right. I never saw better fishing."—Washington Star.

An interesting distinction, though not generally understood, is made in the qualities of asbestos by those who are engaged in the industrial handling of that article. Though broadly speaking, this substance is a silicate of magnesia, in some cases lime displaces the magnesia base. In rare cases alumina takes the place of magnesia, and what is called blue asbestos is a silicate of iron, iron in this case displacing the magnesia. This blue asbestos or fibrous silicate of iron possesses many times the strength of true asbestos, a thread of it only one twenty-fifth of an inch in diameter carrying 100 pounds, but by reason of its containing from 30 to 40 per cent of protoxide of iron it is neither fire nor acid proof, nor is it a good nonconductor of heat; hence does not possess the valuable properties of true asbestos. Silica and water are the only two elements that are always constant in asbestos, the silica rarely falling below 40 parts to the 100, while in some of the amphibious varieties the water falls as low as 2 or 3 parts to the 100.—New York Sun.

The Three.

A serious looking person had charge of the grammar division of a school examination and gave a bright looking boy this sentence to correct, "Between you and I this is good better." The boy shortly returned the slip marked thus: "Incorrect. The language is entitled."—Exchange.

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## THE CHICAGO PLATFORM.

The platform reported by the majority to the Democratic National Convention is much more explicit than such declarations usually are. There is nothing ambiguous in it, which implies that its framers, whether right or wrong, are sincere and do not attempt to deceive. It declares for freedom of speech, freedom of press, freedom of conscience, the preservation of personal rights, the equality of all American citizens before the law, and the faithful observance of Constitutional provisions. It recognizes that the money question is the paramount issue; that the first coinage law of the United States made the silver dollar the unit of value and admitted gold to free coinage at the ratio measured by the silver dollar unit, and that the act of 1873 demonetizing silver has resulted in the appreciation of gold and a corresponding fall in prices of commodities produced by the people. It declares unalterable opposition to the single gold standard, which has paralyzed industry, and declares that gold monometallism is a British policy, and its general adoption has brought the other nations into financial servitude to London. It demands the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation, and that a standard dollar shall be full legal tender, equally with gold, for all debts, public and private. It denounces the issuance of bonds in time of peace and demands that the power to issue notes be taken away from National banks. It condemns the McKinley law and favors a tariff for revenue only, and opposes any changes in the present tariff until the money question is settled. It holds that there would be no deficit in revenue but for the annulment by the Supreme Court of the income tax law, which was passed in strict pursuance of decisions of that court for nearly one hundred years. It denounces the arbitrary interference by Federal authorities in local affairs as a violation of the Constitution, and especially objects to Government interference by injunction, as a new and highly dangerous form of oppression, by which Federal Judges, in contempt of the laws and the rights of citizens, become at once legislators, judges and executors. It opposes discrimination by the Government in favor of any of its creditors and approves the refusal of the Fifty-Third Congress to pass the Pacific Funding Debt bill, and denounces the efforts of the present Congress to enact a similar measure. It recognizes the just claims of Union soldiers, and approves the rule of Commissioner Lochren, that no name shall be dropped from the rolls, and the fact of enlistment and service shall be conclusive evidence against disease and disability before enlistment. It extends sympathy to the people of Cuba in their heroic struggle for liberty and independence. It opposes a life tenure in the public service and favors appointments based upon merit, and such administration of civil service laws as will afford equal opportunities to all citizens of ascertained fitness. It declares it to be the unwritten law of the Republic, that no man shall be eligible to a third term of the Presidential office.

Confiding in the justice of the cause and the necessity of its success at the polls, it submits this declaration of principles to the judgment of the American people, and invites the support of all citizens, who approve of them and who desire to have them made effective by legislation for the relief of the people and the restoration of the country's prosperity.

## REFUSING NATIONAL BANK NOTES.

State Treasurer Rackliffe of California refuses to take National bank notes for taxes. The law requires that money received at the State Treasury in payment of taxes or other indebtedness should be legal tender. The Treasurer wrote to the Attorney General asking his opinion as to the meaning of the phrase "legal tender." The Attorney General replied that the State law on the subject is:

All legal tender notes heretofore issued, or which may hereafter be issued, by the Government of the United States of America, as legal tender notes, shall be received at par in payment for all taxes due or to become due to this State, or to any county or municipal corporation thereof, and such notes shall be a legal tender for all debts, dues and demands, between citizens of this State.

This is backed by the opinion that notes declared to be legal tender by the United States are United States notes, old demand notes and Treasury notes of 1890. Those which are not declared to be legal tender are gold certificates, silver certificates, National bank notes and certificates of deposit. The Treasurer refused the package and the express agent took the notes to the National bank where he exchanged them for coin with which he settled the account with the State Treasurer.

It is now settled that National bank notes, gold notes and silver notes are

not receivable for taxes in the State of California, though if presented at the United States Treasury they would be redeemed in coin. Taxes can be paid in silver dollars or in gold or greenbacks, but notes redeemable in gold or silver dollars, and National bank notes will not be received in California for taxes or other obligations.

## SHOWING ITS COLORS.

The Carson News, which for some time pretended to be for free coinage, has thrown off its mask. It says "it is unalterably opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, or any other ratio, unless by international agreement."

That is outspoken and to the point. It is McKinley Republicanism and the man who has the hardihood to make such a declaration under the shadow of the Comstock deserves one of the choicest stalls at the public crib if the goldbugs are successful next November.

Two years ago when Senator Jones declared that the Republican organization was unalterably opposed to free coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1 or at all, the News was among those who denied the assertion and roundly denounced the Senator for making the statement. The St. Louis convention proved that Senator Jones was right and the News owes him an apology for accusing him of misrepresenting the party.

## CHICAGO CONVENTION.

Reports of the Several Committees Adopted.

## BALLOTING NOT YET BEGUN.

Much Trouble Over the Michigan Contestants—Nebraska Silver Men Seated—Large Majority for Silver.

CHICAGO, July 8.—Crowds began pouring into the Coliseum shortly after 9 o'clock this morning, but the heavy-eyed delegates, many of whom had an all night vigil, were late in arriving. A fresh green fern bank, surrounded with roses, graced the edge of the platform, and the sunshine sifted through the air spaces of the vast dome and glittered among the gay trappings. The band kept up a full and lively air, while the people bubbled up the entrance and melted away in the seats, and the scene early became brilliant and animated. A few minutes before 10 the delegates began to arrive.

Senator Blackburn of Kentucky said this morning, "You will notice that the men who made incendiary speeches advocating the bolting of the ticket and platform are men whose States have no gold representation and who are not delegates. I am told that John P. Irish of California made a brilliant and pointed effort in that direction, and General Bragg and Franklin McVeagh also were for a bolt. I should like to know by what right they interfere with the work of delegates sent here by the people, when Whitney of New York is an interloper, not having been sent as a delegate to this convention. What right have such people to assume to run this convention?"

Boomers for Bryan, Bland and Boies marched into the convention hall this morning with banners flying, and were cheered by their respective sympathizers.

When the Sergeant-at-Arms cleared the aisles it was seen that the places of the New York, Maine, Massachusetts and Maryland delegation were empty. It was at first thought that the threats of a bolt had been realized, but the gold men had been having an angry conference, the leaders trying to hold in check the determination of the rank and file to bolt. The Chairman called for the report of the Committee on Credentials, but the committee was still in session. Word went round that the New York delegation had decided not to bolt, although Perry Belmont and Congressman McClelland strongly urged a bolt. Pending the Credentials Committee report, the convention took a recess for five minutes.

Governor Hogg of Texas was invited to address the convention. The band played "Dixie" as Hogg took the platform and cheered. Hogg advocated friendliness of spirit among the delegates at the convention and after adjournment. He predicted Democratic success in November if the party worked harmoniously. He said that the people would not tolerate a return of the Republican party to power. He denounced the Republican platform as a mass of glittering generalities to deceive the public.

Blackburn of Kentucky was then requested to address the convention. He received an ovation as he took the platform.

Blackburn said that the majority of the American people are suffering and look to this convention to right their wrongs. His statement that the people would no longer submit to class legislation, was loudly cheered. Blackburn said that the Democratic platform

should be such that neither human nor devilish ingenuity could construe it to mean but one thing, the unlimited free coinage of gold and silver without discrimination. He said that the platform should show that the Democracy is not in favor of perpetuating the National debt or National banking institutions. He said that Christ drove from the temple a better set of men than those who have for many years controlled the money market in this country.

There were calls for Bryan, but he was not present. Altgeld was then called, mixed with counter calls for Hill, amid great confusion. Hill was asked to speak, but was not in the hall. Altgeld then refused to respond to the calls. Overmeyer of Kansas, mounted the platform and said that the seat of empire was yesterday transferred from the Atlantic States to the great Mississippi Valley.

Altgeld was again asked to address the convention. Altgeld said from the platform that he did not come to the convention to make speeches, but to help formulate a policy for the benefit of Americans. He said that nearly everything in the United States is now under mortgage, from farms to the sewing machines of seamstresses, and all in the interest of English money lenders. Relief is expected from the action of this convention. Altgeld then advocated the free coinage of silver. He said that the gold standard has lowered the price of farm products while the farmer has had to pay more for his purchases. (Loud cheers.) Altgeld referred to the gold Democrats as wanting to put halters on the Americans in favor of the English money lenders. "Will you allow them to do that," he asked. There were cries of "no, no!" Altgeld said that the gold Democrats claim that they love their country and still are trying to make the producers of this country mere vassals to English capitalists.

The Committee on Credentials reported at 1 o'clock against seating the gold delegates from Michigan and Nebraska, but recommended that the Bryan silver delegates from Nebraska be seated, while asking further time for considering the individual credentials of the Michigan delegates.

The Credentials Committee's report regarding the seating of the Bryan delegates from Nebraska was declared carried amid much confusion.

Russell of Massachusetts demanded a roll call, but subsequently withdrew the motion and allowed the report of the committee to stand. The committee then retired to further consider the Michigan case.

The Bryan delegates then took their seats amid loud and prolonged cheers. At 1:37 Governor Altgeld moved a recess until 5 this afternoon, and amid cries of "no" the Chairman announced that the Committee on Credentials could not report much before that time. The motion was carried.

The report on the platform as a whole was adopted by 39 to 14 by resolutions in the committee.

Bland has gained important accessions in twenty-four votes from Tennessee. On roll call thirteen delegates expressed a preference for Bland and eleven for Boies. The unit rule binds the delegation. Twenty-four of the Pennsylvania delegates have also decided to vote for Bland. The Pacific railroad plank, condemning the funding proposition, has been adopted by the Committee on Resolutions, and Senator White who offered the plank is much gratified.

Bryan of Nebraska is considered by many a possible compromise candidate for the Presidency. His face was wreathed in smiles when greeted by a reporter, and he said: "Nebraska has won a great victory so far. The financial plank as drawn up is identical with the one adopted by the Nebraska convention of 1894, and was written by myself."

Nebraska men used this as an argument during the day with the delegates

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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore an important, in order to get the beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

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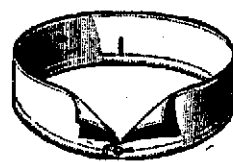
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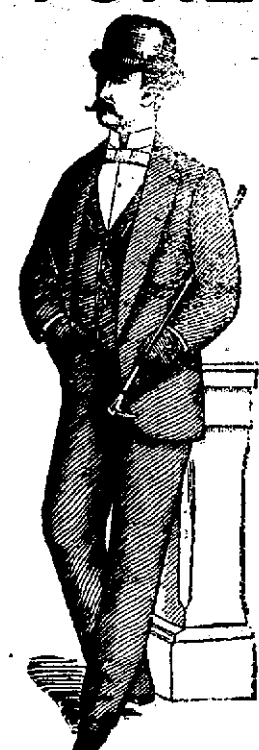
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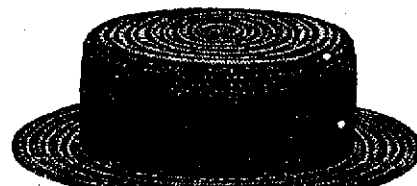
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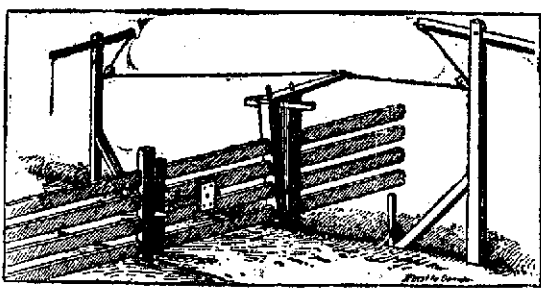
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is a fat food that provides its own tonic. Instead of a tax upon appetite and digestion it is a wonderful help to both.

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## BREVITIES.

Trib cures insect bites and stings. Trib is the liniment of the century. Trib cures bruises, burns, sprains. Genesey & Savage, plumbers and tinners.

Have you catarrh. Use liquid Viava.

Paints and oils at Lange & Schmitt's.

Miss Mary E. Roberts of Carson is visiting Miss Eaton.

Carson is trying to organize a Building and Loan Association.

Mrs. H. Sample arrived from Amodee last evening on a visit to relatives.

Garden tools, water pipe, plumbing and tinning at Lange & Schmitt's.

For a large and sweet loaf of bread go to the New Palace Bakery.

P. N. Marker of Lovelock spent the day here yesterday. He is a guest at the Palace.

Col. W. J. Sutherland of Candelaria arrived on the V. & T. last evening and continued west.

Refrigerators, hammocks, ice cream freezers and fruit presses and jars at Lange & Schmitt's.

Machine extras for old and new mowing machines and rakes cheap at Lange & Schmitt's.

Have you piles? Use Sano, prepared by the Viava Company. It reaches the worst cases. Try it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harms of Sacramento are here on a visit to Mrs. Harms' mother, Mrs. M. Merrill.

Miss L. McKee returned from Wall's Springs yesterday. Her health was not much improved at the springs.

C. Rossetti of Eureka arrived from Carson last evening, and after visiting Reno a day or two, he will leave for home.

T. S. Merchand and L. Handsman of San Francisco and C. Rossetti of Eureka were new arrivals at the Palace last night.

Henry Riter makes a specialty of Napa soda, lemonades. This sparkling and healthful water cannot be excelled as a summer drink.

The Grand Jury adjourned last evening until this morning at 10 o'clock, the business before it not having been completed.

Just received a new line of linoleum carpets, rugs, matting, window shades, etc., at Reno Furniture store, Virginia street, near the bridge.

F. E. Jones, the accommodating and genial night operator at the S. P. Depot, has returned from his California trip and is again on duty.

Charlie Becker keeps a fine stock of cigars and carries the very best of brands. Try one of his specials and you will be sure to call again.

Roomers wanting good value for their money will do well to read the 50-cent column and inquire at S.E. corner of Halston street, between 4th and 5th.

Trib does not mean a broken wheel, Nor yet a broken heart, But makes the bruised biker feel Prepared anew to start.

Yesterday was one of the hottest days of the season. The thunder shower towards evening, while welcome, did not cool the atmosphere to any great extent.

Genuine Belfast and Dublin ginger ale, sassafras sour and an ever running stream of pure and sparkling soda water and the best of ice cream at the New Palace Bakery.

Miss Arda Van Duzer has resigned her position as a teacher in the public schools and Miss Flora Northrup has been chosen to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Van Duzer's resignation.

T. Tomamichel of the William Tell House has just received a lot of imported wines, consisting of sweet Muscatel, Burgundy, Zinfandel, Riesling, Port Sherry and Claret. He sells by the gallon or bottle at prices that defy competition.

The delegates to the Chicago Convention from the far Western States and Territories, held a conference and decided to vote as a unit at all meetings. Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Wyoming, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma were represented.

## JONES ON TILLMAN.

What He Thought of the South Carolina Speech.

The writer met Senator John P. Jones shortly after Senator Tillman made his great speech in the Senate denouncing the perpetrators of the bond issue. The Eastern newspapers had been using the most fulminating adjectives in their dictionaries of vituperation to express their opinions of Tillman's remarks, and some curiosity was felt as to Senator Jones' opinion of it. Asked what he thought of the effort the Senator replied by telling the following story:

"Many years ago a Nevada preacher, noted in the Sagebrush State, as well for his sound sense as for his piety, was driving a mule team up the Geiger grade. When about Dead Man's Point the team balked. The preacher exhausted during the succeeding two hours all the opportunities of persuasion consistent with his cloth, but to no purpose. Finally, when he had about given up in despair, a traveler came along, and seeing the worthy minister's predicament, offered his services. He grabbed the wheel mule by the bit, kicked him in the belly and applied to his muleship all the rich and variegated expletives of which the Western mule driver is famous. When he had got around to the last one the team started."

"The minister, beaming with satisfaction, said: 'My friend you have expressed what I long felt but was unable to say.'"

"That," concluded the Senator, "was what I thought of Tillman's speech."—Silver State.

## The Orphan's Home.

A lady who visited the Orphan's Home at Carson recently, informs the JOURNAL that she was agreeably surprised at the appearance of the place and the manner in which it is kept. The children are well cared for, have abundance of wholesome food and seemed happy and contented. Order and neatness prevails in every part of the Home, and while the lady is not acquainted with Superintendent Beebe of the Home, she says he deserves credit for the admirable manner in which it is conducted and the great care taken to provide for the mental as well as the physical requirements of the children.

## Change of Firm.

Geo. Sauer, late of Washoe City and Fred Grob have succeeded to the butchering business of J. A. Holcomb at the Truckee Market. The new firm will endeavor, as far as possible to sustain the good reputation so long held by this pioneer market, and will try to merit an increase of patronage by the choice meats and butchers' novelties they will have on sale. Mr. Grob was formerly connected with the market and is well acquainted with the needs of all patrons. The business will be under the personal supervision of the two proprietors and no pains will be spared to give the best of service in their line.

## Suicide at Golconda.

Heinrich Zweifel, dairyman at Dutter's creamery at Golconda, committed suicide by hanging himself Thursday morning. About 6 o'clock L. Dutter noticed that the milkman had not performed his morning labor as the cows were in the milking corral. A search was instituted and Zweifel's dead body was found suspended from a rafter in the cow stable by a short piece of cotton rope, his feet just touching the ground. Zweifel had been in Golconda but two days, having arrived from San Francisco last Tuesday to take charge of the dairy.—Silver State.

## Apportionment of School Money.

The following second semi-annual apportionment of school moneys for 1898 has been made by State Superintendent Cutting on the basis of \$4,412 per each census child:

Counties.	No. Children.	Amount.
Churchill	104	\$461.95
Clark	225	\$984.75
Elko	915	\$4,048.75
Esmeralda	225	\$984.75
Harney	498	\$2,197.50
Humboldt	718	\$3,179.50
Lander	498	\$2,197.50
Lincoln	637	\$2,821.50
Logan	491	\$2,167.50
Nye	163	\$720.00
Ormsby	788	\$3,467.50
Storey	268	\$1,185.00
Washoe	1,441	\$6,385.00
White Pine	345	\$1,528.25
Total	9,455	\$42,155.70

## Attached.

L. E. Gaston, lessee of the Palace Restaurant, was attached by his creditors yesterday. His liabilities are said to be over \$1,000, and assets comparatively small. The restaurant will be closed only temporarily, as it is expected that it will be opened under a new management.

## The Nevada Delegation.

The Nevada delegation at the Chicago Convention organized as follows: Chairman, J. C. Hagerman; National Committeeman, General R. P. Keating; on Permanent Organization, J. P. Dunn; on Resolutions, T. W. Healy; on Notification, Jacob Klein.

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## Viava.

Viava is more of a food than a medicine. I should be glad to have those who do not understand its use, call and get a Health Book free and read the home testimonials. Viava sales in 1898 exceeded those in 1894 by half a million dollars. Mrs. B. E. HUNTER, Fourth Street.

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## BREVITIES.

General R. M. Clarke arrived from Carson on yesterday's local.

Mrs. Bottsford left for California last evening instead of night before last as reported.

Mr. Geo. Long, formerly of Virginia and now with H. S. Crocker & Co., San Francisco, arrived from Virginia last evening and continued west.

F. McKee has returned from the East, he having attended the Supreme Lodge A. O. U. W. at Buffalo, New York, as a representative from Nevada. Tramps broke into the millhouse of W. C. Snodgrass on Third street, above the lumber yard, and stole several dozen fresh eggs, a roll of butter and skinned two or three pans of milk and doubtless had a feast on cream.

The Silver State says it has been decided that Nevada's delegations to the St. Louis Conventions take a special car from Reno. The car will be set out on the night of the 16th and suitably decorated, and will be taken direct to St. Louis.

C. H. Ziehfeld, who is held on a charge of bigamy, endeavored to procure his bail of \$1,000 yesterday, but after a couple of hours canvass in charge of Sheriff Caughlin, he failed to get bondsmen and was compelled to go to jail.

A good many farmers were in town yesterday rustling for haying hands. In the afternoon wagons could be seen leaving town for all parts of the valley loaded with men who had found employment. The farmers in the valley will be very busy for the next three weeks.

Among our visitors were A. C. Bragg of the Reno Gazette, Dr. H. H. Hogan of the Reno Plaindealer, and E. Caine of the Reno Tribune.—Wadsworth Dispatch. And pray Mr. Hummel what was the matter with Shepard Case of the Reno JOURNAL? He was at Wadsworth and gave a very creditable report of the celebration.

The Sacramento Bee, which for forty years fought under the Republican standard, says it has been convinced that the Republican party has been getting farther and farther away from the masses and nearer and nearer to those of the classes whose interests are not those of the country, and whether the policy of the party will lead to its own ruin, is something which time, and a short time, will tell.

Mr. A. E. Harris, who went East to attend the Michigan Law School at Ann Arbor a year ago, has returned and gone out to his home in Mason Valley. He graduated with honors at Ann Arbor, having been admitted to the Senior Class there upon entering as he already held a diploma from the Nevada Supreme Court. Mr. Harris is a brother of Miss S. A. Harris, well and favorably known as a former teacher in the Reno public schools.

## Of course it's imitated—

anything good always is—that's endorsement, not a pleasant kind, but still endorsement. HIRE'S Root-beer is imitated.

Made only by The Charles E. Hires Co., Philadelphia. A Sarsaparilla makes a Sarsaparilla. Sold everywhere.

## Buckley's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

## Coronado Coronado.

Natural mineral water bottled at the springs, near the Hotel Del Coronado, California. H. J. Thyne, State Agent, has received a carload and is now prepared to supply the trade and families cheaper than any mineral water ever placed on this market. All orders promptly attended to. April 3.

## Cheap Footwear.

Now is the time to secure cheap shoes at cost. Tassell Brothers are closing out some of their lines of shoes, and will dispose of them at a bargain. Call and make your selection at once. 6-27f

## The New School Board.

The new school board met last evening and organized by electing W. Webster, Chairman, and S. M. Jamison, Clerk. Bids for furnishing wood were opened, but no contract was awarded.

## A. Nelson's Jobbing Prices.

Seal of North Carolina, 4 oz. at	\$5.00
Two oz. at	\$2.50
Duke's Mixture, 3 oz. at	\$3.00
Lofty Plug Cut, 3 oz. at	\$3.00
Durham, 4 oz. at	\$5.00
Two oz. at	\$2.50
Pine at	\$5.00
Arlington at	\$5.00
Pedro at	\$5.00
Line King, 4 oz. at	\$5.00
Two oz. at	\$2.50
Fashion Plug Cut, 3 oz. at	\$3.00
Tip Top Plug Cut at	\$3.00
Cadet Plug Cut at	\$3.00
Star, 2 1/2 lbs. at	\$4.00
Piper Hickok at	\$4.00
Battle Ax at	\$4.00
Rough and Ready, Smoking, 8 to the lb.	\$4.00
Short Pit, smoking, 8 to the lb.	\$4.00

## CIGARS.

Belmonts, caballeros, per M.	\$7.50
Belmonts, perfectos, per M.	\$7.50
General Arthur, caballeros, per M.	\$7.50
General Arthur, perfectos, per M.	\$7.50
Marcel, caballeros, per M.	\$7.50
Sanchez Haya, caballeros, per M.	\$7.50
Humboldt, per M.	\$10.00
Washington, Havana, per M.	\$10.00
Hotel Brunswick, Demonicos, per M.	\$10.00
Hotel Brunswick, perfectos, per M.	\$10.00
Lofty House, Rothschild, per M.	\$10.00
Evening Gazette, per M.	\$10.00

Different brands as low as \$30 per M.

## CHICAGO CONVENTION.

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in an endeavor to secure votes for Bryan.

Bryan circulated a petition about the hall for signatures endorsing the Monroe doctrine.

The convention reassembled at 5:30, Senator Daniel in the chair as temporary Chairman. The New York delegation was late in arriving. Perry Belmont was noticed on the floor, though he had no particular liking for the surroundings.

At 5:50 the Committee on Credentials presented a report admitting to seats the contesting silver delegates from the Fourth and Ninth Districts of Michigan, and recognizing the right to seats of all other delegates from Michigan.

Crosby said the minority felt that it should be known that in their opinion the report was a great injustice. His voice was weak and cries of "Louder" and derisive applause followed. He offered an amendment to retain the unseated delegates in seats.

Governor McLaurin of Mississippi gave a history of the case, asserting that there was a clear majority in favor of free silver in the Michigan Democracy so there was no issue here to throttle the will of the majority of Democrats. He spoke of the orders issued from Washington to Federal office holders to carry the State at all hazards for gold, and he said it was a question to decide whether the men who represented the majority of Democrats in Michigan were to be driven out.

Sheehan said the poll of the original delegation showed 15 for gold and 13 for silver and he disclosed the secrets of the committee room by saying it was at first proposed by the majority to unseat all four delegates-at-large. Wise counsel prevailed and the delegates-at-large were retained, but if delegates were unseated it was for the purpose to make the delegation 15 for silver and 13 for gold, and thus secure a two-thirds majority.

Blake of Texas thought the whole informal delegation ought to be turned out.

McKnight of Michigan said if the majority report was adopted it would carry the State by 25,000.

Thomas of Colorado opposed overturning the will of a sovereign State. He warned that they could not afford to strike down Michigan for the purpose of obtaining a two-thirds majority.

The previous question and roll call of States began. When New York's 72 votes announced for the minority report a tumultuous wave of cheering broke loose.

The first efforts of the Chairman to repress the manifestation were unavailing, the gold delegates turning their backs to the Chairman and gesticulating to the people in the galleries who responded and the unsavory sound of 15,000 voices filled the hall. Then the silver men began to hiss and stamp their feet. The noise continued for fifteen minutes. The vote resulted in 388 yeas and 558 noes. Nevada cast 6 noes. The silver men in turn yelled, waved hats and handkerchiefs, displayed bland pictures and continued nearly as long as the gold men.

The platform declares unequivocally for free coinage at 16 to 1; opposes bond issues; condemns the McKinley tariff and stands for revenue sufficient to defray the expenses of the Government when economically administered; favors the income tax and opposes foreign immigration.

Senator White of California was chosen as permanent Chairman of the Convention and was escorted to the chair amidst the greatest enthusiasm ever known in a National Convention. He made an eloquent speech, saying:

"We differ on vital issues. We meet in friendly contest, presenting what seems to us the proper and right spirit of Democracy. We submit our views to the candid judgment of our brethren and on that judgment we will certainly rely. We will find in life numerous instances of hopes unrealized. Men of prominence pass away, some to oblivion, others because they are summoned to other shores, but the Democratic party will not die, even when we have all ceased to live." [Cheers.]

Clarke of Montana, in the name of Montana, presented Mr. White with a silver gavel.

9:30 P. M.—The convention adjourned to meet at 10 in the morning.

It was developed to-night that the principal reason for re-assembling the Committee on Resolutions to-morrow is to hear Senator Walsh and J. J. Dwyer on the question of inserting an anti-A. P. A. plank in the platform. Ex-Governor Russell of Massachusetts gives his support to such a proposition. The money plank, referring to legal tender, is not worded to suit some of the silver men, who say the language is weak and misleading.

The program for to-morrow is to allow two hours for the discussion of the platform by Hill for the gold minority and Senator Jones and Tillman for the silver majority.

## The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an ideal panacea for coughs, colds and lung complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physicians' prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave such a speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial bottles free at S. J. Hodgkinson's Drug Store.

W. L. Davenport, Bridgewater, Ont.; L. P. Fielding, Cincinnati; Edwin Casey, N. C. O.; A. M. Hendricks and M. Simmas, city; R. Gorman, Nevada; S. Tobin, Virginia; and Chas. Holman, Germany, were new arrivals at the Hotel Reno last night.

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They Get a Living Easily—Cats Lead the  
Evolutionary Classes.

Certain snakes of medium size carry  
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In addition they have the perfect ver-  
tebrate structure which Sir Richard  
Owen so much admired, and can there-  
fore swim, climb and make their way  
in places where no other animal of simi-  
lar size can go. They are the best  
equipped animals of their kind. Side  
by side with these are found snakes of  
similar size and equal powers, except  
that they lack the inviolable lethal  
weapon. They only carry blank con-  
trivances in the battle of life. Evolution  
seems needed for no reason. They not  
only fail to grow the poison tooth, but  
do not develop the power of crushing  
their prey as the constrictors do. It  
would be far easier for a common grass  
snake to kill a frog by poison breath, than  
to have to swallow it alive. It would save  
it trouble to crush it, as a young boa  
constrictor of the same size would do,  
but it does neither, because it neither  
has developed, nor seems in the least  
likely to develop, the necessary equip-  
ment for so doing.

By the theory of evolution the grass  
snake ought therefore to go back in the  
world, while the other common English  
snake, the poisonous viper, armed with a  
weapon, powerful as a protection and a  
means of killing prey, increased in  
size and numbers and took its place.  
Yet this is exactly what has not hap-  
pened. Grasssnakes are larger and more  
numerous than adders, and there is no  
evidence that the absence of the poison  
fangs in any way endangers the survival  
of the species.

It is difficult to account for the ab-  
sence of any visible failure in life of in-  
sect feeding creatures competing for ex-  
istence on the same food, but with such  
unequal physical means for obtaining it  
as are possessed by the swallow, the  
marmoset, the shrew, the chameleon  
and the frog. In this list of five crea-  
tures living upon similar food we find  
that the physical appliances for obtain-  
ing it range from the perfect develop-  
ment of speed in flight in the swallow,  
the addition of hands for capture in the  
marmoset, bodily quickness and activity  
in the shrew, the power of assuming  
color exactly similar to that of environ-  
ment in the chameleon, supplemented  
by a special apparatus for shooting out  
the tongue and capturing insects when  
motionless, to the absence of any special  
equipment at all, except that of a rather  
long tongue, in the insect eating frog.

Yet the frog, destitute of all these  
specialized appliances, lives just as well  
as the swallow, the shrew, the marmo-  
set or the chameleon, and at least one  
species, the black frog, finds that to go  
on in the world it has only to be still.  
It has acquired a skin color  
related to its environment and a large  
mouth. But it is not, and could never  
be, considered well provided for getting  
its living.

Our estimate of the physical means  
and appliances necessary for the survival  
and well being of animals is probably  
set too high. We judge the needs of all  
from the perfect development and ac-  
quired powers of many, perhaps of  
most, which evolution has provided  
with appliances in excess of their real  
wants. Most animals are overequipped.  
Evolution has run riot, and provided  
them with means and mental far in ex-  
cess of their needs, just as it has provid-  
ed them with an exuberance of orna-  
ment which delights us, but must al-  
ready have passed beyond animal com-  
prehension.

Probably the cats, great and small,  
would at once be named as the best  
equipped of all classes of predatory  
creatures, and the predatory creatures are  
by necessity superior in most forms of  
physique to those on which they prey.  
They are all "built" on one plan, with  
a special armament of teeth, sheaths to  
keep their claws sharp, muscles for  
springing suddenly to great distances,  
padded feet to deaden the sound of their  
movements and color adapted for con-  
cealment. These acquired appliances are  
in excess of their wants.

The polar bear, which cannot spring  
and has no sheaths for its claws, and in  
swimming, catches and kills animals  
larger than those killed by the tiger and  
can kill them in the water. The wel-  
verine, or glutton, which is heavy, slow  
and has the feet of a ferret, gets its liv-  
ing as a carnivorous animal no less well  
than the tiger cats, which have a far  
more specialized equipment for their  
work.

There is actual evidence from the fos-  
sil bones of tigers that this excess of  
equipment once went farther and has  
been discarded as superfluous. An ex-  
tinct species developed canine teeth of  
such enormous size that it has been  
named the "saber toothed tiger." The  
teeth were too long for its jaws, and the  
modern species use shorter weapons,  
just as modern ironclads are provided  
with lighter guns. The curling tusks of  
some of the mammoths and the palmed  
horns of the Irish elk were also in excess  
of requirements and are modified for use  
in the existing elephants and reindeer.  
Many monkeys possess a thumb, but  
some do not, and there is no evidence  
that they are therefore at a disadvantage  
for their nonprogressive life.—London  
Spectator.

Wild ducks, cranes, swallows and sev-  
eral other kinds of birds assemble in  
flocks as the time of migration approaches  
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hour comes and the horse hears the bell  
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for the boy who always feeds him at  
that time. The horse will look anxiously  
toward the store and wait a few mo-  
ments. If the boy does not soon make  
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first time at noon people near by notice  
that the horse becomes restless, and,  
while a few moments before his head  
was drooping, at the first stroke of the  
bell his eyes open wide and he takes on  
an air of close attention.

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much he really did know about the  
number of times the bell rang. They  
pulled the rope that rings the bell 11  
times and then stopped. Immediately  
the horse's eyes closed and his head  
dropped into the same listless position it  
had maintained for some time. The boy  
soon came out and got into the wagon.  
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Reno, July 6, 1896.

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fornia Fig Syrup Company are hereby  
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Quinn's store in Block P, in Reno, Washoe  
county, Nevada, on

Monday, the 20th day of July, 1896.

At the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. for the election  
of five Trustees to serve for the ensuing  
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J. J. QUINN,  
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Commercial Company are hereby notified  
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